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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Chizu SHIMIZU, *et al.*

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Examiner: M. LEE

For: PURCHASED COMMODITY ACCOMMODATING AND TRANSPORTING APPARATUS HAVING ELEMENTS FOR PURCHASING A COMMODITY FIXED TO A TRANSPORTABLE ACCOMMODATION SECTION (AS AMENDED)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 29, 1998

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief, following the filing of the Notice of Appeal on July 15, 1998, for one-month from September 15, 1998 to October 15, 1998.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2340 in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please also charge these fees to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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